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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 13, 2006, please consider the following amendment and remarks.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing beginning on page 2 and the Remarks section follows on page 8.

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